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Patentee requests under 37 CFR 1.28 (c) that an error be excused regarding  
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As required under 37 CFR 1.28 (c) (1) and (c) (2), the deficiency payment is  
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Third maintenance fee	\$4,730.00	\$2,055.00	12/10/2010	\$2,675.00
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